



Date: February 4, 2014  
To: Thomas J. Bonfield, City Manager  
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From: Bertha T. Johnson, Budget and Management Services Director  
Subject: Public Hearing on the FY2015 Budget and FY2015-2020 Capital Improvement Plan (CIP).

**Executive Summary**

The purpose of the public hearing is to receive public comments on the FY2015 Budget and FY2015-20 Capital Improvement Plan (CIP).

**Recommendation**

The administration recommends the Council hold a public hearing March 3, 2014 to receive citizen comments on the FY2015 Budget and FY2015-20 Capital Improvement Plan (CIP).

**Background**

North Carolina G.S. 159-12(b) requires that the City hold one public hearing on the proposed budget to allow citizens to provide comments to the City Council. The City will hold the official hearing on the proposed budget on June 2nd. The March 3rd hearing is in addition to the required public hearing. Conducting this public hearing supports the “engaged community” objective of the City’s Strategic Plan Goal 4: Well Managed City, which is to provide professional management that is accountable, efficient and transparent.

**SDBE Summary**

Not Applicable.